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Following tank cars were available on the days mentioned:

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Number of Tank Cars Operating

Date in	Within East Germany	Abroad	Total
January 1953			

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7	2,220 (264)	593	2,813
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8	2,193 (253)	618	2,811
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9	(253) 2,134 (260)	578	2,712
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10	2,265 (227)	538	2,803
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12	(238) 2,215	573	2,788
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13	(238) 2,177 (240)	549	2,726
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14	(240) 2,209 (237)	587	2,796
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15	2,268 (240)	undetermined	2,268
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16	2,344 (481)	481	2,825
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17	2,262 (241)	523	2,785
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19	2,136 (243)	617	2,753
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20	2,145	528	2,693
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1. Comments: Report as received. Our total shows 2,673

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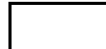
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 Comment. As compared with the last reported period, railroad tank car traffic remained at about the same level. The even level at which tank cars were employed outside East Germany indicates that fuel exports remained about constant. This refutes rumors on an alleged establishment of a large state fuel reserve in East Germany, because the formation of such a reserve would necessitate considerable restrictions in fuel exports.

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